



**PATENT**

**Attorney Docket No. 20781-703**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of	)	Confirmation No.: 8357
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Chong Jin Oon, et al.	)	Examiner: GOLDBERG, Jeanine Anne
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Serial No.: 09/870,358	)	Art Unit: 1634
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Filed: May 30, 2001	)	Customer No. 021971
	)	
Title: <u>DIAGNOSTIC ASSAY</u>	)	

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

Applicants submit this Amendment in response to the Examiner's Final Office Action mailed on January 4, 2005 and Applicants' representatives' telephone interview with Examiner Jeanine A. Goldberg on June 16, 2005. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above referenced application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** being on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.